

PATENT APPLICATION

File No: 02-21

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Jeff L. Ellsworth  
Serial No. : 10/680,673  
Group Art Unit : 1647  
Examiner : Romeo, David S.  
Filed : October 7, 2003  
For : METHODS FOR ADMINISTERING FGF18  
Date Submitted : April 16, 2008

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))**

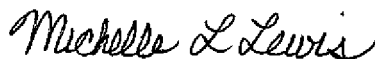
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Final Office Action dated October 16, 2007 be extended for a period of three months from January 16, 2008 to April 16, 2008.

Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$525.00, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290.

Respectfully submitted,



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